

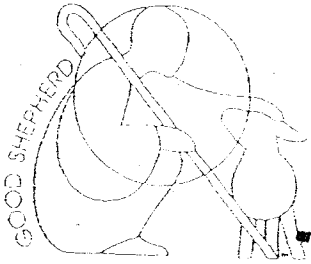
**GOOD SHEPHERD
LUTHERAN CHURCH
AND SCHOOL**

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SUNDAY WORSHIP

9:00 a.m.



A GUIDELINE FROM GOD

Quit Worrying

Life has dealt you a blow and all you do is sit and worry. Have you forgotten that I am here to take all your burdens and carry them for you Or do you just enjoy fretting over every little thing that comes your way?

Keep yourselves in God's love as you wait for the mercy of our Lord Jesus Christ to bring you to eternal life.

Jude:21

WELCOME!

We're glad you joined us today to praise our Good Shepherd, Jesus, and to hear His Word. If this is your first time here, we're honored that you chose to worship with us! If you have visited us before, welcome back! It's great to see you again! I pray that your worship with us will be meaningful and worthwhile. A Nursery is available for parents who may be struggling with a little one during worship. Please ask an usher for assistance. If you have questions about our congregation, please ask. And please come back soon! We value your friendship and the opportunity to share the love of Jesus together with you.

Again – **WELCOME!**



For the **Lord your God**
will bless you
in all your
harvest
and in all
the work of your hands, and
your joy will be complete.

Deuteronomy 16:15

The Order of Worship

Thursday, October 4, 2007 and Sunday, October 7, 2007

Leader: We worship as we live: in the name of the Father, and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.

Adults and Children: AMEN

(Sunday) Jubilate Choir: Amazing Grace

Welcoming Song:

Believe it!

No matter what God said, believe it,
no matter how foolish it seems,
No matter what God said, just do it;
and look for the blessings He brings!
No matter the sickness you suffer
no matter how dirty the stream,
Go wash, if He says, in the river;
and look for the blessings He brings!

No matter how big is the giant,
no matter how loudly he screams,
God promised to be there; don't worry.
So look for the blessings He brings!
No matter the storm is around you,
no matter how foolish it seems,
Get out of the boat if He tells you,
And look for the blessings He brings!

No matter what God said, believe it!
No matter how foolish it seems,
His Bible is His-tory proving
that blessing on blessing He brings!
Believe every Word He had written;
believe Jesus died and then rose!
All sin has been paid for, forgiven!
Believe every Word that God wrote!

No matter what God said, believe it!
No matter how foolish it seems,
No matter what God said, just do it!
And look for the blessings He brings!

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**XTREME
FAITH**

**HAVE
FAITH
IN GOD**
MARK 11:22

We Gather in the Name of the Lord

The grace of our Lord + Jesus Christ and the love of God and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you.

And also with you.

Confession of Sins

Merciful Father in heaven I am altogether sinful from birth. In countless ways I have sinned against you and do not deserve to be called your child. But trusting in Jesus, my Savior, I pray: Have mercy on me according to your unfailing love. Cleanse me from my sin, and take away my guilt.

God, our heavenly Father, has forgiven all your sins. By the perfect life and innocent death of our Lord Jesus Christ, he has removed your guilt forever. You are his own dear child. May God give you strength to live according to his will.

Amen.

Bless the Lord, all His works in all places of His dominion. Psa. 103:22

Gloria Patri

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Carlton Young, 1973

Unison



Glo - ry be to God the Fa - ther, And to Christ His on - ly Son.



Praise we too the Ho - ly Spir - it, Bind - ing all man -

kind as one. As it was in the be - gin-ning, Is for now and

ev - er - more! A - men, A - men!

A - men, A - men!

Prayer of the Day

Nineteenth Sunday after Pentecost

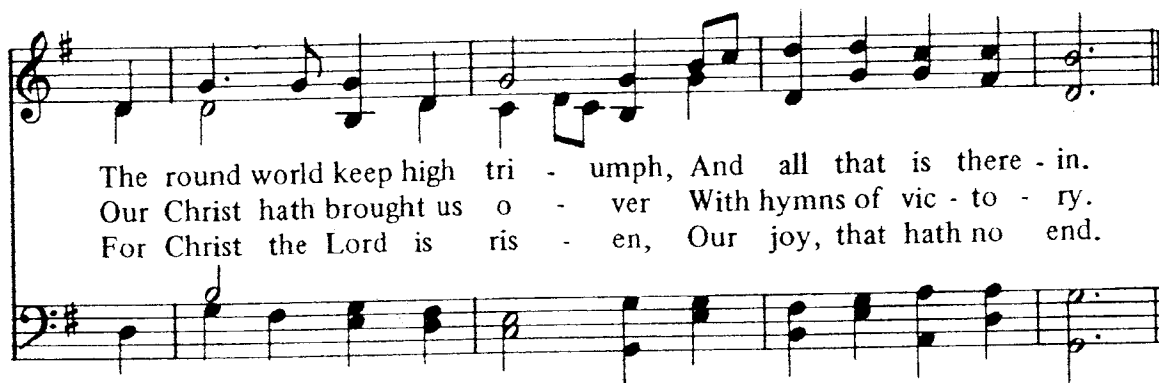
Mercifully grant, O God, that your Holy Spirit may in all things direct and rule our hearts, for without your help we are unable to please you; through Jesus Christ, your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

Bible Reading Psalm 146

Response Verse 1

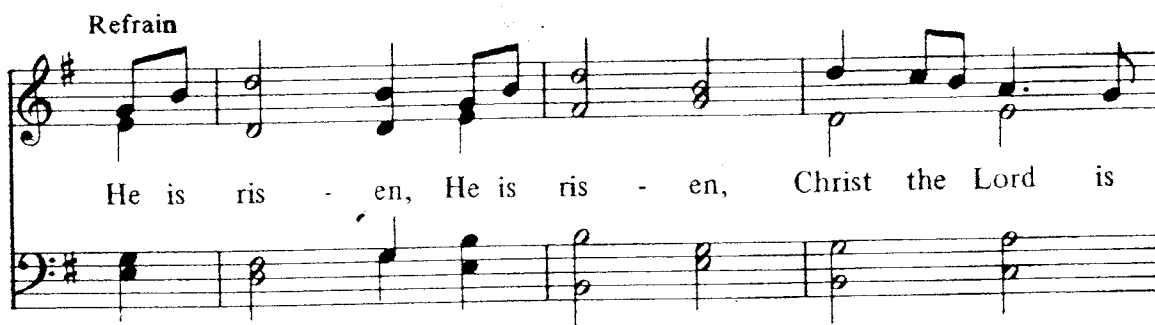


1 Now let the heav'ns be joy - ful, Let earth her song be - gin,
2 From death to life e - ter - nal, From earth on to the sky,
3 Let all things seen and un - seen Their notes of glad - ness blend;



The round world keep high tri - umph, And all that is there - in.
Our Christ hath brought us o - ver With hymns of vic - to - ry.
For Christ the Lord is ris - en, Our joy, that hath no end.

Refrain



He is ris - en, He is ris - en, Christ the Lord is



ris - en, Our joy, that hath no end.

Bible Reading 1 Tim 6:6ff

Response: v2

Bible Reading Luke 16:19ff

Response: v3



APOSTLES' CREED

**I believe in God, the Father almighty,
maker of heaven and earth.**

**I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord,
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died, and was buried.**

He descended into hell.

The third day he rose again from the dead.

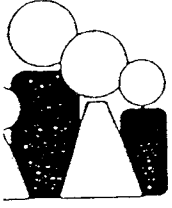
He ascended into heaven

and is seated at the right hand of God the Father almighty.

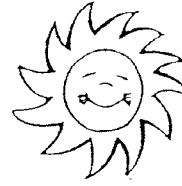
From there he will come to judge the living and the dead.

**I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy Christian Church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting. Amen.**

Pre-sermon hymn:



It's Son-day again!



It's Son-day again! I'm here to tell you that it's Son-day again!
The day that Jesus Christ arose from the dead, back to life as He said,
And the joy of that day is what moves me to say:

It's Son-day again! Although surrounded by the heartache of sin,
Although I felt sometimes my God didn't care or He's not really there,
But just right about then, He reminds me, my Friend:

It's Son-day again! The Father wants us all to trust in His Son
And to believe that Jesus rose from the grave, and all sin He forgave!
Heaven's door opens wide thanks to Christ crucified!

It's Son-day again! In faith we look upon His feet and His hands
Amazing grace that gave His life on the tree to redeem you and me
And then send us on out now to joyfully shout:

It's Son-day again! We gather here to praise the Father, the Son,
And Holy Spirit -- gracious God, One-in-Three, who has set us all free!
We will thank Him and praise loud and long all our days! Because

It's Son-day again!

It's Son-day again!

It's Son-day again!



Instruction in the Word of the Living God

Return to the Lord our Offering of Thanks and Praise

DEAR VISITORS AND GUESTS: Every week at Good Shepherd we return a portion of our livelihood as freewill offerings to the Lord for our local and worldwide ministries. Please do not feel that you have to participate in this act of our worship. We do appreciate each gift of support and are thankful the Lord Jesus brought you to be with us today. We invite you to come again.

Prayers

Lord's Prayer

The Celebration of the Lord's Supper

Songs from the Red Songbook to use during distribution: 152, 159, 143, 386

A MESSAGE TO OUR VISITORS ABOUT THE LORD'S SUPPER:

Today our congregation is celebrating the Lord's Supper. At Good Shepherd we believe and teach that when we come forward to receive the Supper, we are publicly stating that we agree with one another on the teachings of the Bible. Before you are able to take such a major step, we would like to explain to you what we teach and believe. We feel we owe that to you. So please refrain from coming forward for the Supper today. But by all means, speak with Pastor Tullberg about receiving the Lord's supper soon, so that you can enjoy all the blessings of this meal together with us in the future.

Benediction

Parting Song:

He is a - ris - en! Glo - rious Word! Now rec - on - ciled is God, my

Lord; The gates of heav'n are o - pen. My Je - sus did tri -

um - phant die, And Sa - tan's ar - rows bro - ken lie, De - stroyed hell's

fierc - est weap - on. Oh, hear What cheer! Christ vic - to - rious, Ris - ing

glo - rious, Life is giv - ing. He was dead, but now is liv - ing!

This week at Good Shepherd:

Today: Bible Time @ 10:15;

Jubilate Choir for kids in 3rd through 8th grade, meets in church at 11:15, after Sunday school. Won't you consider adding your voice?

Monday Council 7:00 p.m.

Tuesday Care Committee 10 a.m.
Bread & Bible 6:30 p.m.

Wednesday Confirmation class from 6:30 to 8:00 for students in 7th and 8th grade!

Wednesday CHOIR PRACTICE! 7:00 p.m. Come on and sing! You don't need any special musical abilities, all you need is a desire to praise the Lord in song!

Thursday Church 7:00pm

If you would like to watch today's service again, or know of someone who missed it, have them check out Channel 3 on Charter and Solarus Cable TV at 6:00pm.

WELCOME TO GOOD SHEPHERD

There are many ways to join our growing family of faith: 1) through transfer from a sister WELS or ELS congregation; 2) by declaring unity with us after coming from a church outside our fellowship, and 3) there's a Bible study that addresses the six basic teachings of God's Word, after which you are able to ascertain membership or not based on what God reveals in His Bible.

Our mission is simple and bold: We seek to grow in faith and knowledge of our Savior Jesus; we want to make Him known to others so they, too, might share in the joy which Jesus won for them.

We look forward to helping people find a spiritual home and family.

CURRENT MEMBERS OF OUR CHURCH COUNCIL

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WORSHIP SERVICES

Sundays 9:00 AM
Thursdays 7:00 PM

Come & See! Go & Tell!

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